

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA  
AUGUSTA DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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v.

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CR 119-036-2

CARRIE MARIE MINTON

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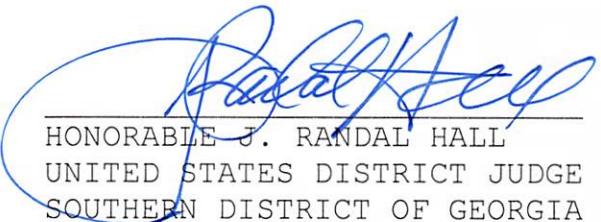
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**O R D E R**

Defendant Carrie Marie Minton has filed a motion to reduce sentence under 18 U.S.C. § 3582(c)(2) based upon Amendment 821 to the United States Sentencing Guidelines. Specifically, Defendant points out that she is a "zero-point offender" and is therefore entitled to a retroactive decrease in her offense level. This decrease, however, is not available to offenders whose offense of conviction is a sex offense. See U.S.S.G. § 4C1.1(a)(5). In this case, Defendant was convicted of production of child pornography. Thus, while it is true that Defendant was not assessed any criminal history points under the Guidelines, she is not eligible for relief under U.S.S.G. § 4C1.1 as amended by Amendment 821. Her motion to reduce sentence (doc. 78) is **DENIED**.

ORDER ENTERED at Augusta, Georgia this 17<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2025.

  
HONORABLE J. RANDAL HALL  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA